

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Alan E. Litke, et al.) : Examiner: NYA
Application No.: NYA) : Group Art Unit: NYA
Filed: Concurrently Herewith) : Confirmation No.: NYA
For: UV CURABLE COATING) :
COMPOSITIONS : October 12, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination on the merits, kindly
amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the claims appear on page 2 hereof.

Remarks begin on page 7 hereof.